

## Haldale PTA Installation Set Today

The executive board of Haldale PTA enjoyed a combined meeting and pot luck luncheon, Friday at Higgins Brick Patio.

Conducting the short business meeting, Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, president, announced that her association had received the "Certificate of Award," in recognition of service to the children of the community, with a gold seal for having attained all of the 13 goals suggested by Tenth District. Two "Special Achievement" seals also were received in recognition of outstanding service to the school and the community, in the afterschool playground and the organization of "Block Mothers."

Mrs. Don Wolf, president of the Lomita-San Pedro Council, will install the officers for the coming year at the last regular meeting of the term at 1:30 this afternoon at the school.

Under direction of Mrs. John Blackmon and Mrs. M. D. Herbert, the children of the afterschool playground will present a play entitled "Sleeping Beauty" tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., at the Haldale school. All parents are cordially invited.

## THEATER GROUP'S SUMMER PLANS

Among summer plans of the YVCA-sponsored Theatre Group led by Mrs. Myrtle Musselman are attendance at the Padua Hills Theatre, the Fuchsia Show on June 11, the Mineral Show, Union Oil Company Open House, and a performance of "South Pacific" on June 8.

Tentative arrangements also are being made for a visit to the Greek and Turnabout Theatres. Recent trips by the group have included attendance at the Ice Capades and the "Chocolate Soldier."

## Lutherans Hostesses For Meet

Mrs. Carlton Faulk and Mrs. Paul Wenske will be hostesses for the Rebecca Circle meeting to be held Friday evening, June 9, at the home of the former, 20818 N. Royal boulevard.

## Women's Activities



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM R. JOHNSON

## William R. Johnson Tells Vows With Jeanne Malecha

Baskets of white gladiolus and baby breath decorated the altar of St. Margaret Mary Alocque Catholic Church in Lomita Saturday afternoon, May 27, for the double-ring wedding of Miss Jeanne Carmen Malecha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Stanford of 2151 253rd place, Lomita and William R. Johnson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Johnson Sr., of 2409 Carson street.

Their vows were solemnized by the Reverend John V. Hearty. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white marquisette. The full skirt was cut with inserts of imported lace to form a long train and the bodice of

her gown was tight-fitting with a lace ruffle forming a square yoke. Her fingertip illusion veil was caught up in a Juliette crown of lilies of the valley. White gladiolus and lilies of the valley surrounded her detachable orchid corsage. Traditional pearls, a gift of the

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## Board Luncheon Precedes Year's Concluding Meet

Mrs. Samuel V. Rauss and Mrs. Dean L. Sears, both of whom served Torrance Woman's Club as presidents this year, shared hostess honors at a delightful luncheon last Wednesday afternoon in Portuguese Bend clubhouse.

Arrangements of pastel gladiolus centered the luncheon table at which places were marked for the hostesses and other members of the club executive board, including Mrs. B. T. Whitney, Raymond Rogers, J. E. Stavert, Grover C. VanDeventer, Charles Sherwin, Roy Ashley, A. E. Ewalt, Robert Golden, W. I. Laughon, B. C. Buxton, J. K. Burchfield, H. W. Irwin and Mrs. Laughon's mother, Mrs. L. Ahrens.

Business of the club year was concluded at the board meeting which immediately followed luncheon.

## OES GRAND MATRON PAYS OFFICIAL VISIT SUNDAY

Members of the Order of the Eastern Star Thursday evening filled Torrance Masonic Temple to capacity, to pay tribute to Margaret Hughes Lauritzen, worthy grand matron of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, who came to Torrance for her official visit to the 72nd district. She was accompanied by 18 members of the grand family.

One hundred eight officers of the six chapters which comprise the 72nd district, visiting worthy matrons and worthy patrons, past matrons, past patrons and members totaling 350, were present.

The outstanding event began with the address of welcome by John A. Owen, well known and highly respected past patron of Hawthorne Chapter, in which he commented upon the fraternal accomplishments of the worthy grand matron, of her unwavering fidelity to the ideals of the order, her steadfastness in promoting the various social and civic activities to which the order is dedicated, and in behalf of those assembled, expressed the hope that the evening would be a joyous and memorable one for her.

In accordance with a practiced and unique arrangement, the officers of the several chapters entered the chapter room.

Torrance Chapter being host chapter, the Torrance officers, led by Worthy Matron Gladys Mothersell and Worthy Patron Frederick Cook were first in formation, next came Inglewood, Worthy Matron Esther Johnson and Worthy Patron Harry Vickers, followed by Hawthorne, Worthy Matron Zela Davis and Worthy Patron Lester Williams; Westchester U. D., Worthy Matron Olive Dull and Worthy Patron Billy Vejar; Triangle, Worthy Matron Blanche Hausen and Worthy Patron Frank Nurse, then Gardena, Worthy Matron Nelda Collins and Worthy Patron George Dunn.

Carmen Steelman, Hawthorne Chapter's page, presented to Mrs. Lauritzen an unusual bouquet, a pentagon shaped frame decorated with jade colored lace was the background for yellow rosebuds, with a gold gavel mounted transversely at the top of the figure.

Mrs. Lauritzen, with her escort for the evening, Past Grand Patron Frank D. Cruse, then was escorted to the East, where she was formally presented by

Worthy Matron Zela Davis.

The chapter was opened in due form by Worthy Matron Nelda Collins and Worthy Patron George Dunn, then in conformity with official visit procedure, the Gardena officers relinquished their stations to Westchester U. D., whose Worthy Matron Olive Dull and Worthy Patron Billy Vejar presided during Escort; those presented from the East, were Past Grand Matron Thelma Bailey from Los Angeles, Past Grand Patron Donald A. Boone, Long Beach; Grand Ruth Mary B. Singleton, Santa Paula; Grand Esther Elva Dawson, Los Angeles; Grand Electa, Ada B. Wright, Los Angeles; Grand Sentinel, Mildred H. Morgan, Los Angeles; Deputy Grand Matrons Martha Robertson of the 72nd district; Dolores Meikelnich of the 73rd district; Edith Earnshaw, Gladys Hawley, Lilly Stewart, Gwen Kermodie and Eloise Cobb.

Nineteen visiting worthy matrons and nine worthy patrons were escorted and presented, and there were 37 past matrons and 17 past patrons present, who were also introduced.

This being the regular meeting date of both Torrance and Gardena chapters, Worthy Matron Gladys Mothersell and her officers held a brief session in which the business affairs of the chapter were duly processed; afterward Worthy Matron Nelda Collins and Gardena officers in like manner transacted the necessary business of their chapter.

Worthy Matron Esther Johnson of Inglewood then assumed her station in the East and at her invitation Leona Elliott, Westchester's associate conductress, favored the assembly with a vocal rendition of "Faraway Places," accompanied by Lovia Leach at the piano.

The presentation ceremony was notable for its beauty of arrangement and the dignity of execution, the worthy matrons and worthy patrons of the dis-

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## Coronation Ceremony to Mark Nativity Carnival

Plans have been completed by the Mothers Club of Nativity School for the annual carnival to be held on the school grounds, Carson street at Acacia avenue, this afternoon and evening. Everyone is invited.

Opening at noon, the benefit affair will feature a special students' luncheon and booths will be open until 3 p. m.

Highlight of the evening session, which begins at 6 o'clock, will be coronation of a king and queen chosen by penny vote from among First Graders.



MR. AND MRS. DONALD WOLFORD

## DONALD WOLFORD, BRIDE ESTABLISH HOME HERE

At home following their wedding in First Baptist Church in Delano are Donald Wolford of Torrance and his bride, the former Miss Tessie Penrod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Penrod of Delano. The Rev. Charles Waters, pastor, officiated at the double-ring rites.

The bride was beautiful in a white satin gown fashioned with a fitted bodice with net inset yoke. Lace trimmed the narrow off-shoulder collar and the draped bustle. Her nylon fingertip veil fell from a high tiara. Her bouquet was of white lilies tied with white satin ribbons.

Miss Mildred Way of Redondo Beach was maid of honor in a blue organdie gown and carried pink gladiolus. Miss Scholastica White was the only bridesmaid. Her gown was of

yellow organdie and her flowers, lavender gladiolus.

Harry Saber of Torrance was best man and Ned Wolford, brother of the bridegroom and L. D. Cosby, Torrance, ushered.

Other attendants were Penny Post, flower girl, and Raymond Penrod, brother of the bride, ringbearer.

The bride's mother wore a black street dress complemented with a black lace hat and red

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## RNA's Tell Plans for Card Party

The Friendship Club, auxiliary of the Torrance Royal Neighbor Camp, will hold their next meeting June 13 at the Moose Hall on Carson street. A light lunch will be served at noon and the afternoon will be spent playing cards.

Regular card party sponsored by the Royal Neighbors will be held on June 20 at the Woman's Clubhouse. Mrs. Marie Bankston, as chairman, has a capable committee. Games will start at 8 p. m.

OHIO VISITOR  
Mrs. Wilda McKenna, of the Park Hotel, has as her guest her sister-in-law, Mrs. Katharine Ward of Mineral Springs, Ohio.



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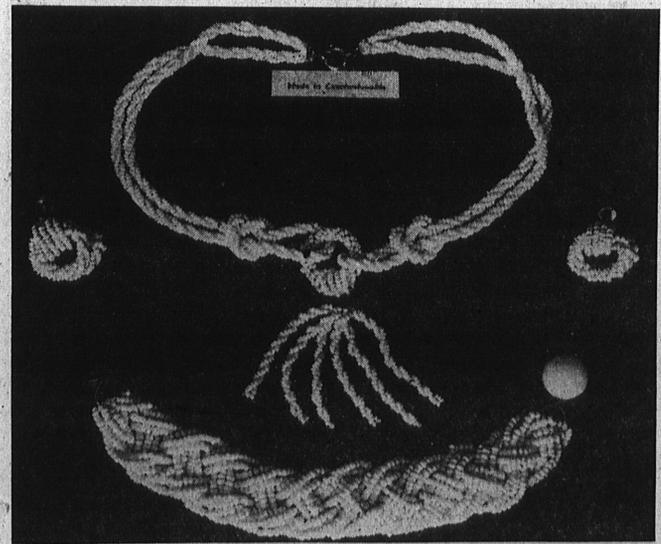


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